IN THE CLAIMS:

- 1. (Cancelled)
- 2. (Cancelled)
- 3. (Currently amended) A method for manufacturing microphone assemblies comprising the steps of;

preparing a connector aggregation having a plurality of connector divisions, each of the connector divisions being provided with means for electrically connecting each of the microphone assemblies to an outside instrument;

preparing a microphone aggregation having a plurality of microphone divisions, a microphone being provided in each of the divisions;

preparing a gasket aggregation having a plurality of gasket divisions, [[and]] each of the gasket divisions having a sound collecting hole at each of the divisions;

forming each of the divisions into a same shape and a same size:

stacking said aggregations and adhering the aggregations to each other to form an aggregation assembly;

wherein each of the connector aggregation, the microphone aggregation, and the gasket aggregation has a same outer peripheral shape, and each division of said aggregations has a

same shape and a same size, so that each borderline between adjacent microphone assemblies becomes a straight line;

cutting <u>each borderline of</u> the aggregation assembly to separate a microphone assembly at each division.

4. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 3 wherein the connector aggregation is made of an anisotropic conductive elastomer.